

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 SEOUL 01674 140545Z

13

ACTION EA-07

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EB-05 DRC-01 RSC-01 /015 W

----- 090332

R 140500Z MAR 74

FM AMEMBASSY SEOUL

TO USDOC WASHDC

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 2863

UNCLAS SEOUL 1674

USDOC

E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: BEXP, KS

SUBJ: HYUNDAI URGENTLY SEEKS US QUOTATIONS ON ABOUT
\$1.5 MILLION WORTH MACHINE TOOLS

REF: A. SEOUL A-280, AUG 16, 1973

B. SEOUL 5126, AUG 3, 1973

C. SEOUL A-307, SEPT. 14, 1973

1. HYUNDAI INTERNATIONAL INC. (WTDR 12-71) URGENTLY SEEKS
PRICE QUOTATIONS VIA TELEX FOR 45 ITEMS OF
MACHINE TOOLS REQUIRED FOR PLANT EXPANSION APART
FROM PROPOSED \$15 (INCREASED FROM ORIGINAL \$10) MILLION
ADB LOAN PROJECT DISCUSSED IN REPAIR (A). HYUNDAI MANU-
FACTURES VARIOUS AUTO PARTS AND CAST IRON GOODS.
FINANCING SOURCE WILL BE KOREAN FOREIGN EXCHANGE FUNDS.

2. SPECIFICATIONS FOR ABOVE 45 ITEMS OF MACHINE TOOLS
ARE BEING AIRPOUCHED. SOURCES AT THE HYUNDAI TOLD US
THAT THESE SPECIFICATIONS WERE DEVELOPED FROM
EXISTING FACILITIES OF MOSTLY JAPANESE ORIGIN.
U.S. EQUIVALENTS MAY BE SUBSTITUTED. LIST OF ITEMS
INCLUDES COPY MILLING MACHINE, CAP LATHE, DOZER TRACK
LINK, SEAM WELDER, THREAD ROLLING MACHINE, CO2 GAS
WELDER, DRILLING MACHINE, TURRET LATHE, REFRIGERANT
TRANSFER SYSTEM, MEASURING TUBE ASSEMBLY, CHARGING
AND VACUUM HOSE, HIGH SPEED PRECISION LATHE, ENGINE
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 SEOUL 01674 140545Z

LATHE, COPY LATHE, HIGH SPEED GEAR SHAPER, TRANSFER

MOULDING MACHINE, POWER PRESS, HYDRAULIC PUMP UNIT.

3. EMBASSY HAS DISTRIBUTED THIS T.O. AMONG U.S. FIRMS
IN SEOUL. REPORTEDLY HUNDAI HAS JAPANESE QUOTATIONS,
BUT TOP MANAGEMENT PREFERS U.S. SOURCE OF SUPPLY.
SUGGEST A FEW U.S. COMBINATION SUPPLIERS CONTACT
MR. YOO, SANG-KYU PRESIDENT, HYUNDAI INTERNATIONAL INC.
CPO BOX 1826, SEOUL, 100, KOREA; ATTN: KIM MYUNG-JUN,
SUPPLY DEPT. CABLE: ROKATLAS, SEOUL.
TELEX: HINTL 2561S. PHONE: SEOUL 8-4381.

4. HYUNDAI IS PLANNING TO NEGOTIATE CONTRACTS DURING
APRIL 1974. BROCHURES OR CATALOGS SHOULD BE SENT
TO ABOVE ADDRESS.
HABIB

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 14 MAR 1974
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1974SEOUL01674
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: SEOUL
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1974/newtext/t19740343/aaaabohz.tel
Line Count: 76
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION EA
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: A. SEOUL A-280, AUG 16, 1973
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: shawdg
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 14 MAR 2002
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <14 MAR 2002 by hagers>; APPROVED <10 DEC 2002 by shawdg>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: HYUNDAI URGENTLY SEEKS US QUOTATIONS ON ABOUT \$1.5 MILLION WORTH MACHINE TOOLS
TAGS: BEXP, KS
To: COM
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005